



CIVL 2022 PLENARY – Annexe 28b
PROPOSAL S7 COMMON – 2.5.5
PARAGLIDING AEROBATIC COMMITTEE

S7 COMMON – Modification of Chapter 2.5.5

CURRENT VERSION

2.5.5. Minimum Representation For World Championships a minimum of 4 countries with a total of 8 competitors available to fly during the Championship is required for the title of Champion to be awarded; for Continental Championships, a minimum of 3 countries with a total of 8 competitors is required.

PROPOSAL

2.5.5. Minimum representation for Cat.1: a minimum of 4 countries with a total of 8 competitors available to fly during the Championship is required for the title of Champion to be awarded. ~~for Continental Championships, a minimum of 3 countries with a total of 8 competitors is required.~~

For Aerobatics Cat. 1 Synchro, Female and Junior, a minimum of 4 countries with a total of 5 competitors is required for the title of Champion to be awarded.

COMMENT

The number of pilots competing in aerobatics is significantly lower than in other disciplines. Currently the number of females, teams and juniors does not guarantee to reach a minimum of 8 participants. At the last World Championships the female title could not be awarded. With a view to promoting the discipline, the aerobatic committee propose a lowering of these minimum requirements to 5 participants.

While discussing this topic, it was also noted that chapter 2.5.5 prescribes different requirements for Continental Championships, which are incompatible with the General section 4.4.3.1, and therefore should be deleted.

The General Section of the Sporting Code states in 4.4.3.1.

A minimum of 4 NACs or such higher number of NACs, as is determined by the relevant ASC, shall have entered by the end of the official registration period, as defined by the ASC, with entry fees paid. If there is less than the required minimum of NACs so entered, the relevant ASC shall decide whether the event will take place and shall also decide whether or not the title of Champion will be awarded.

Please understand and support our proposal at the next CIVL-Plenary Meeting.

On behalf of the aerobatic subcommittee

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